MINUTES NEW HAMPSHIRE BOARD OF DENTAL EXAMINERS DENTAL HYGIENISTS COMMITTEE 121 SOUTH FRUIT ST CONCORD, NH 03301-2412

MEETING MINUTES – January 5, 2015

The January 5, 2015 meeting of the New Hampshire Board of Dental Examiners Dental Hygienists Committee was called to order at 1:30 p.m. by Jodi Carnes, RDH with the following members present:

Ellen Legg, RDH Jodi Carnes, RDH Margaret Ray, RDH

Absent: Lisa Malfait, RDH and A. Joseph Williams, DDS.

Note: All votes were unanimous unless otherwise indicated.

Minutes of the December meeting. Approved.

Memo from Dental Board regarding use of dental assistants by Certified Public Health Dental Hygienists. The committee will research and draft a list or spread sheet of duties to be performed by the assistants in the public health setting. The committee will review at the next meeting and make a recommendation to the Board to assist in rulemaking.

Memo from the Dental Board regarding drafting rules for the renewal and late fees for Certified Public Health Dental Hygienists. The committee will review existing rules and draft some language for the Board.

Prescription Fluoride. The committee was updated that a survey has been sent out by Nancy Martin, Department of Oral Health. She will share the information once received. Ellen provided information she obtained from Lisa regarding the New Mexico rules regarding prescription fluoride. The committee will review this information. Tabled.